

Geri Hudson

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Dear Geri

Thank you for your request for information received on 21 May 2015.

This request is being handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I can confirm that some of the information requested is held by Harrow Council. I have detailed below the information that is being released to you.

1. How many Lead Professionals/Keyworkers/Dedicated Workers (ie.1-2-1 support staff) across council staff and/or commissioned providers worked with identified Troubled Families (TF) for the years

a. 2013-2014

b. 2014-2015

The Troubled Families programme was delivered across a range of services with Harrow Children & Families Services.

The Troubled Families programme would involve workers from a number of teams who would have varying levels of involvement with Troubled Families cases.

The number of workers operating as key workers for Troubled Families would number approx. 35, but some of these would have a low number of families on their caseload identified as Troubled Families.

2. How many of these Leader Professionals/Keyworkers/Dedicated Workers worked full-time/exclusively with TF families

None.

- 3. Number of families worked with in the years
- a. 2013-2014 **145**
- b. 2014-2015 **105**
- 4. The average caseload of each Lead Professional/Keyworker/Dedicated Worker working full-time with TF families in the years
- a. 2013-2014
- b. 2014-2015

Key workers do not exclusively work with Troubled Families. The average caseload for key workers is 15 families.

Unfortunately we are unable to retrieve the information for the remaining questions in the way it has been requested.

If you have any questions, please contact me on peter.singh@harrow.gov.uk.

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Yours faithfully

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